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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: TBIO, EG  
SUBJ: FDA REGULATIONS ON TOOTHPASTE CONTAINING ANTIBIOTICS

1. EMB HAS RECEIVED REQUEST FOR TEXT OF FDA OR USG REGULATIONS GOVERNING MANUFACTURE, TESTING AND USE OF TOOTHPASTE CONTAINING PENICILLIN OR OTHER ANTIBIOTICS. NOTICE REFERRING TO THIS SUBJECT SAID TO HAVE APPEARED IN QUOTE FEMINGTON, FIFTEENTH EDITION, ACCEPTED DENTAL THERAPEUTIC PRACTICES 1975-76 AND/OR AMERICAN PHARMACOPEIA UNQUOTE. REFERENCES NOT AVAILABLE EMB OR NAMRU.

2. REQUEST COMES FROM DR. ABDEL KADER SOUROR, 40 AVE. GAMAL ABDEL NASSER, ALEXANDRIA, ARE. DR. SOUROR IS A PHARMACIST WHO APPARENTLY MANUFACTURED TOOTHPASTE CONTAINING PENICILLIN IN EGYPT DURING 1960'S HE SAYS MANUFACTURE (BY HIM) WAS STOPPED AT THAT TIME BY GOE. WITH EVIDENCE OF APPROVAL OF SUCH PRODUCTS IN US HE FEELS GOE WOULD NOW PERMIT THEIR MANUFACTURE HERE. HE SAYS HE READ ABOUT US PRACTICE IN NOTICE CONTAINED IN REFERENCE PARA 1, AND WOULD LIKE TO KNOW DETAILS OF GOVERNING FDA OR OTHER USG REGULATIONS.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR FORWARDING ANY APPLICABLE MATERIAL ASAP TO SCIATT TO PASS TO DR. SOUROR.  
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